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REPLY TO
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MEMORANDUM FOR SEE DISTRIBUTION

SUBJECT: U.S. Army Military District of Washington Master
Accident Prevention Plan (MAPP) 2000

1. As the Commander of the U. S. Army Military District of Washington, providing the work force with a safe and healthful workplace is my highest priority. A successful safety and occupational health program requires active and aggressive commitment by commanders, managers, supervisors, soldiers, and civilian employees.
2. One area I am especially concerned with is the cost of the Federal Employees Compensation Act (FECA) Program. The FECA compensation costs for MDW were almost three million dollars for fiscal year 1998. The leading cause of these accidents throughout MDW continues to be slips, trips, falls, and back injuries. Prevention of these accidents is the first step in controlling these costs.
3. The enclosed MAPP 2000 has been designed to provide commanders, supervisors, safety professionals, and unit/organizational collateral duty safety representatives with safety management information on specific safety topics for planning internal safety training throughout fiscal year 2000. In addition to the MAPP, a comprehensive Accident Prevention Plan Handbook containing lesson plans and reproducible handouts has been developed to support the MAPP 2000 and can be found at <http://www.mdw.army.mil/safety>.
4. As part of the MDW strategic plan, I have established the goal for each installation to reduce military and civilian injuries and costs by 5% each year for the next 5 years using FY98 injury statistical data as the baseline. And, as part of the MDW Organizational Inspection Program, I have directed that my Safety Office personnel ensure the MAPP 2000 along with the Accident Prevention Plan Handbook is being used as a safety tool throughout the command when they conduct their staff assistance visits and inspections.
5. I expect each commander, manager, supervisor, soldier, and civilian employee to take the steps necessary to identify and control hazards in the workplace. Our safety success is a reflection of how well we care for our people, and I urge each of you to aggressively work toward this goal.

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6. If you need additional information or materials on other
safety related topics, contact your local installation safety
office.

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